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16 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
17 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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20 **BIG SANDY BAND OF WESTERN MONO**
21 **INDIANS, a federally recognized Indian**
tribe,

22 Plaintiff,

23 v.

24 **GAVIN NEWSOM, Governor of the State**
25 **of California; and the STATE OF**
CALIFORNIA,

26 Defendants.
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1:22-cv-00844-KES-SKO

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Judge: Hon. Kirk E. Sherriff
Action Filed: July 8, 2022

Pursuant to this Court's Order Pursuant to the Joint Stipulation to Stay Proceedings Pending Approval of Tribal-State Class III Gaming Compact (Order) that ordered the parties to submit a joint status report within 90 days of the order and every 90 days thereafter (ECF No. 36), the plaintiff Big Sandy Band of Western Mono Indians (Tribe) and defendants Governor Gavin Newsom and State of California (State) hereby submit this Joint Status Report advising the Court of the status of the ratification and approval process.

1. Status of the Ratification and Approval Process. The tribal-state class III gaming compact between the Tribe and the State is currently undergoing the legislative ratification process in the California Legislature. Assembly Bill 2032, which would ratify the compact, has been introduced as of February 2, 2024. The Tribe and the State will provide another update as to the ratification and approval process of the compact in 90 days as specified by this Court's Order, ECF No. 36.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 30th day of April, 2024.

Dated: May 1, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Case Name: ***Big Sandy Band, et al. v. Gavin Newsom, et al.***
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I hereby certify that on May 1, 2024, I caused to be electronically filed the following documents with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system:

JOINT STATUS REPORT

I certify that **all** participants in the case are registered CM/ECF users and that service will be accomplished by the CM/ECF system.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on May 1, 2024, at Sacramento, California.

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